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ERROR CORRECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTERLEAVED DATA

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENTS TO THE TITLE

Please amend the title of the invention on page 1 as follows:

INTERLEAVED DATA ERROR CORRECTION METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR INTERLEAVED DATA DEVICE